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Attorney Docket No.	3568.076
First Inventor or Application Identifier	Klotzer
Title	EXPANDED POROUS THERMOPLASTIC POLYMER MEMBRANES AND DEVICE FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF
Express Mail Label No.	EL915421463US

APPLICATION ELEMENTS See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.		U.S. Patent & Trademark Office ADDRESS TO Box Patent Application P.O. Box 2327 Arlington, VA 22202
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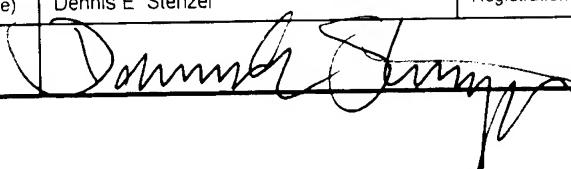
18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. 1.76.

Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/642,390

Prior application information: Examiner Bagwell, M. Group No./Art Unit 1711

For CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
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126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 C.F.R. 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 C.F.R. 1.129(b))	
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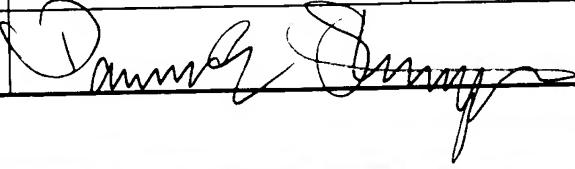
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